



B.S. Biology - Biotechnology Concentration (BIT)

2008-2010 Catalog

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NOTE: Effective January 1, 2006, a semester GPA < 2.75 MAY affect your Millenium Scholarship

Requirement	Required Course	Credits	Required Course	Credits	
General Education Core: Minimum grade passing					
General Education Core Requirements	English Composition:		DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS		
	English Composition: ENG 101	3	Humanities and Fine Arts: (see course choices in the catalog--Academic Policies)		
	English Composition: ENG 102	3	Humanities: 2 courses in two different fields	6	
	Literature: Either ENG 231 or 232 (World Literature I or II)		3	Fine Arts: 1 appreciation or introductory course	3
	United States and Nevada Constitution		Life & Physical Sciences and Analytical Thinking: Exempt		
	<i>One Course Option (fills both US and NV):</i> EITHER HIS 100 or PSC 101		4	Social Sciences: 3 courses in three different fields	
	<i>Two Course Option:</i>		see course choices in the catalog--Academic Policies		
	US Constitution: HIST 101,106,401,412, PSC 304,330,409c, PUA 241	3	Multicultural Requirement: (Multicultural issues within the United States only)		
	NV Constitution: HIST 102,217,402,417A, PSC 100,401D	3	see course choices www.unlv.edu/committees/gec		
	Transfer students--see the Advising Center regarding Constitution		International Requirement: (International issues outside the United States only)		
Mathematics: filled by major requirement MATH 181 Calculus I		below	see course choices www.unlv.edu/committees/gec		
*Courses may simultaneously fill the Humanities, Fine Arts or Social Science requirements, but a single course may not simultaneously meet the Multicultural and International requirements					
Electives	SCI 101 Student Orientation (REQUIRED for all first time freshmen who matriculate Fall 2007 forward)				1
	UNLV Upper Division electives: required ONLY to reach 40 Upper Division credits (these can be ANY 300-400 level courses offered at UNLV)				
	UNLV electives: required ONLY to reach 124 total credits (these can be ANY 100-400 level courses offered at UNLV)				
Biology Major Requirements: Minimum overall BIOLOGY GPA 2.0					
Biology Core Course Requirements: Minimum grade of C- is required in the Biology Core courses					
Biology Major Course Requirements	BIOL189/189L Fundamentals of Life Sciences	4	BIOL300/300L Genetics -- prerequisite: \geq C- BIOL196,197;CHEM241,241L	4	
	BIOL196/196L Biology I -- prerequisite: grade \geq C- in BIOL189	4	BIOL415 Evolution -- prerequisite: grade \geq C- in BIOL300	3	
	BIOL197/197L Biology II -- prerequisite: grade \geq C- in BIOL189	4			
	Biotechnology Upper Division Course Requirements (Biology 300 and/or 400 level)				
	A minimum of 5 courses AND 20 upper division Biology credits are required (not incl BIOL 300 & 415) (See lists reverse)				
	(1) BIOL 351/351L Microbiology	4	Select one course from Lists A,C or E:		
	(2) BIO405 Molecular Biology	3	(5) List A, C, or E:		
	Select one course from List B and one from D:		If required 20-credit upper division course requirement has not been met, select additional course(s) from Lists B or D:		
	(3) List B:	3			
	(4) List D:	3			
Related Course Requirements: Minimum Grade passing (but \geq C required for Chemistry minor)					
Related Course Requirements	CHEM 121/121L: Corequisite MATH 127 or 128; prerequisite > C in CHEM 103; or pass Chem Pretest; see-- http://sciences.unlv.edu/Chemistry/policy.htm		CHEM474 Biochemistry I	3	
			CHEM475 Biochemistry II	3	
	CHEM121/121L General Chemistry I	4	Optional Chem minor: additional credits upper division chemistry		
	CHEM122/122L General Chemistry II	4	Prerequisite \geq C in MATH 127 or 128 for the following:		
	CHEM241 Organic Chemistry I	3	MATH181 Calculus I (MATH 182 recommended)	4	
	CHEM241L Organic Laboratory	1	Either STA 391 Appl Stats for Biol Sci OR STA 491 Stats for Sci I	3	
	CHEM242 Organic Chemistry II	3	PHYS151/151L General Physics I	4	
	CHEM242L Organic Laboratory	1	PHYS152/152L General Physics II	4	
	University Credit Requirements for Graduation				
40	A minimum of 40 Upper Division Credits required (ANY 300-400 level course) including credits shown above				
124	A minimum of 124 Total Credits required (ANY 100-400 level course) including credits shown above				
62	A minimum of 62 credits must be earned at a four-year institution				
30	The last 30 credits must be completed in uninterrupted residence as a DECLARED major in the degree-granting college.				

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